

## OPINION 1357

ANUROPODIDAE BACESCU, 1980 (CRUSTACEA, TANAIIDACEA)  
 AND ANUROPODIDAE STEBBING, 1893 (CRUSTACEA,  
 ISOPODA);  
 A RULING TO REMOVE THE HOMONYMY

RULING. — Under the plenary powers, the stem of the generic name *Anuropus* Beddard, 1886 (Isopoda) for the purposes of Article 29 is hereby ruled to be ANUROP.

(2) The following generic names are hereby placed on the Official List of Generic Names in Zoology with the Name Numbers specified:

- (a) *Anuropoda* Bacescu, 1980 (Tanaidacea) (gender: feminine), type species, by monotypy, *Anuropoda francispori* Bacescu, 1980 (Name Number 2291);
- (b) *Anuropus* Beddard, 1886 (Isopoda) (gender: masculine), type species, by monotypy, *Anuropus branchiatus* Beddard, 1886 (Name Number 2292).

(3) The following specific names are hereby placed on the Official List of Specific Names in Zoology with the Name Numbers specified:

- (a) *francispori* Bacescu, 1980, as published in the binomen *Anuropoda francispori* (specific name of the type species of *Anuropoda* Bacescu, 1980) (Name Number 3026);
- (b) *branchiatus* Beddard, 1886, as published in the binomen *Anuropus branchiatus* (specific name of the type species of *Anuropus* Beddard, 1886) (Name Number 3027).

(4) The following family-group names are hereby placed on the Official List of Family-Group Names in Zoology with the Name Numbers specified:

- (a) ANUROPIDAE Stebbing, 1893 (type genus *Anuropus* Beddard) (Isopoda), spelling legalised under the plenary powers in (1) above (Name Number 589);
- (b) ANUROPODIDAE Bacescu, 1980 (type genus *Anuropoda* Bacescu, 1980) (Tanaidacea) (Name Number 590).

(5) The family-group name ANUROPODINAE (correction by Calman, 1907 of ANUROPIDAE) Stebbing, 1893 (Isopoda), an incorrect spelling as a consequence of the ruling given under the plenary powers in (1) above, is hereby placed on the Official Index of Rejected and Invalid Family-Group Names in Zoology with the Name Number 506.

## HISTORY OF THE CASE Z.N.(S.)2429

An application for the use of the plenary powers to remove the homonymy involving ANUROPODIDAE Bacescu, 1980 (Tanaidacea) and ANUROPODIDAE Stebbing, 1893 (Isopoda) was first received from Dr M. Bacescu (*Musée d'Histoire Naturelle, Bucharest, Romania*), Dr J. Sieg

(Universität Osnabrück, FRG) and Dr L. B. Holthuis (*Rijksmuseum van Natuurlijke Historie, Leiden*) on 22 November 1982. It was sent to the printers on 14 January 1983 and published on 29 March 1983 in *Bull. zool. Nom.*, vol. 40, pp. 58–59. Public notice of the possible use of the plenary powers in the case was given in the same part of the *Bulletin* as well as to the statutory serials, to seven general and one specialist serial. No comment was received.

### DECISION OF THE COMMISSION

On 15 April 1985 the members of the Commission were invited to vote under the Three-Month Rule on Voting Paper (1985)24 for or against the proposals set out in *Bull. zool. Nom.* vol. 40, p. 59. At the close of the voting period on 15 July 1985 the state of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative Votes—twenty-two (22) received in the following order: Melville, Cocks, Holthuis, Halvorsen, Binder, Savage, Gruchy, Trjapitzin, Mroczkowski, Corliss, Lehtinen, Ride, Alvarado, Willink, Hahn, Schuster, Uéno, Brinck, Kraus, Bayer, Heppell, Bernardi

Negative Votes—one (1) Dupuis.

A late affirmative vote was returned by Cogger.

No vote was returned by Starobogatov.

Dupuis commented: 'Je vote contre la solution proposée, comme ne résolvant pas l'ambigüité, puis qu'il se trouvera toujours des zoologistes instruits qui, spontanément, corrigeront ANUROPIDAE Stebbing en ANUROPODIDAE. Il eût été préférable de conserver ANUROPODIDAE Stebbing et de créer ANUROPODAIDAE.

### ORIGINAL REFERENCES

The following are the original references for the names placed on the Official Lists and an Official Index by the ruling given in the present Opinion:

- ANUROPIDAE Stebbing, 1893, *History of Crustacea*, p. 345  
*Anuropoda* Bacescu, 1980, *Trav. Mus. Hist. nat. Bucuresti*, vol. 22, p. 381  
ANUROPODIDAE Bacescu, 1980, *Trav. Mus. Hist. nat. Bucuresti*, vol. 22, p. 384  
ANUROPODINAE Calman, 1907, *Lankester's Treatise on Zoology*, vol. 7, p. 210  
*Anuropus* Beddard, 1886, *Proc. zool. Soc. London*, 1886, p. 112  
*branchiatus*, *Anuropus*, Beddard, 1886, *Proc. zool. Soc. London*, 1886, p. 384  
*francispori*, *Anuropoda*, Bacescu, 1980, *Trav. Mus. Hist. nat. Bucuresti*, vol. 22, p. 384.

## CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the votes cast on Voting Paper (85)24 were cast as set out above, that the proposals contained in that voting paper have been duly adopted under the plenary powers, and that the decision so taken, being the decision of the International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature, is truly recorded in the present Opinion No. 1357.

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*International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature*

*London*

*1 August 1985*